SEPA DETERMINATION OF NON-SIGNIFICANCE (DNS) SEATTLE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION 5th Ave NE ART INSTALLMENT

Description of proposal: This project is to install a piece of art at the intersection of 5th Ave NE and NE 112th Street. This project is part of the larger Northgate Area Urban Redevelopment Plan and the streetscape improvements for the northern "gateway" entrance to the 5th Ave NE streetscape.

The art is proposed to be installed on a small concrete footing. The artwork will consist of a tall pole (33 feet high); at 30 feet there is an arm that is counter-balanced to protrude over the median 17 feet in one direction and 4 feet in the other. The sculpture is made out of metal and will have small LED light attachments.

Proponent and Lead Agency: SDOT - Seattle Municipal Tower

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Location of proposal: in the median at the intersection of 5th Ave NE and NE 112th St in Seattle, WA

SDOT has determined that this proposal would not have a probable significant adverse impact on the environment. An environmental impact statement (EIS) is not required under RCW 43.21C.030(2)(c). This decision was made after review of a completed environmental checklist and other information on file with the lead agency. This information may be examined in the Seattle Department of Planning and Development Public Resource Center at 700 Fifth Avenue, Suite 2000, Seattle. Documents are also available at the Downtown Branch (1000 4th Avenue) and the Northgate Branch (10548 5th Ave) of the Seattle Public Library.

This DNS is issued under WAC 197-11-340(2) and Seattle Municipal Code (SMC) 25.05.340; the lead agency will not act on this proposal for 14 days from the issue date below. **Comments must be submitted by 5:00 p.m. Dec. 30, 2010**.

Issue Date: Dec. 16, 2010

SEPA Responsible Official: Peter Hahn, Director, SDOT

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Any interested person may appeal this DNS by submitting a Notice of Appeal and a \$50.00 filing fee to the Office of the Hearing Examiner located at 700 Fifth Avenue, Suite 4000, Seattle; mailing address: P.O. Box 94729, Seattle, WA 98124-4729; telephone: (206) 684-0521. **The appeal must be filed no later than 5:00 p.m. Jan. 6, 2010.** The appealant should be prepared to make specific factual objections. See SMC 25.05.680 A(2)(a)(ii) for SEPA appeal procedures.